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STANTON.

(By P. O. Derthick.)

Misses Margaret Norton and Nora Johnson visited in Clay City this past week.

D. B. Clark visited his daughter, Mrs. Irvin Conlee at Richmond this past week.

Gifford Thomas of Hatchers Creek suffered a nervous breakdown last week and is slowly improving.

Mrs. Earl Faulkner of Middletown, Ohio, is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Carrie Tipton, for a few days.

Arthur Chaney, wife and baby, left Saturday for Breathitt to visit Mrs. Chaney's parents at Kragon.

Miss Mattie Martin and her niece, of Nada, visited with Mrs. Bettie Johnson, over Sunday; returning home next day.

Albert Faulkner has moved into the house where Miles lived, the latter moving across the road to the Center property.

Miss Pearl Skidmore returned to her home on North Fork, this week, after several days visit to her aunt Mrs. W. R. Catron.

Ben Willoughby, who has been running the Central Hotel at Clay City, has moved his family back to the farm on Hatchers creek.

Mrs. Labe Knox will soon have a display of new spring hats for sale. She wishes everybody to come and see her in this new venture.

Alex Fox, an old colored citizen of Hatton Creek, died Monday night at his home. He was quite well known to most of the people around here.

Colson Blackburn was home from Berea over Sunday. He came to be a witness in the Fuller case. His mother, Mrs. Anna Blackburn, accompanied him.

Miss Lula Johnson, Reese Wiggins and Austin Johnson, of Clay City, drove up to Stanton Monday night and spent a pleasant evening among their friends.

Rev. O. J. Young of Richmond preached at the Christian church this past Sunday and was liked so well that he was engaged as their minister for two Sundays a month.

The case of Morris Knox for the killing of Bryant at the tunnel at Camp-ton Junction was turned over to the Juvenile County Court, on account of the boy being under seventeen.

Miss Lola Walker, of Pittsburg, Pa., will lecture at the Presbyterian church on Woman Suffrage. The lecture will be given after the prayer meeting service and all are invited to hear her.

There will be a meeting of Sunday School officers at the home of the writer a week from this coming Saturday to plan for an institute to be held in Stanton the 23rd of April. Let all be present.

Frank Vocum of Hatchers Creek was found out in the woods, paralyzed. He had been out at work and was stricken down early in the day and had lain there several hours before being found. He is in a precarious condition.

The young ladies of Stanton College gave a very fine program at the college Monday night and it was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended. Miss Mollie Johnson has charge of this work and is making a splendid success.

Mrs. Frances Beauchamp will speak at the college during chapel hour and at the prayer meeting at the Christian church on that same night, Wednesday March 29th. The writer has heard her and advises all to be sure and come. She will speak at other points in the county.

Richard Crowe left last week and brought home his wife from Knoxville. They were met in Winchester by Bert Crowe and wife and visited there before coming on here. Richard has about completed the addition to his building to the home where Bert lives, and they will go to housekeeping soon.

The writer spent four days in Breathitt, in the interest of Sunday school work this past week. He visited a Sunday school on Morg that he organized ten years ago. It has run continuously ever since and is doing splendid work. Everybody comes out to meeting and the church is in fine shape. There wasn't a hard feeling or enmity between a single member of the Morg church. How many churches in Powell county can say that?

Mr. Mose Faulkner, who was one of the best citizens of Powell county, died at his home between Lombard

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LOCAL NEWS



All the latest magazines at The Times office.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitch of Lexington, spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Meachem came down from Jackson Sunday.

Born, to the wife of James Barnett, of Darlingsville, a daughter.

Misses Margaret Norton and Nora Johnson visited friends here last week.

Dr. R. A. Irvin was called to St. Helens Monday, on professional business.

Misses Roxie Akers and Fannie Mae Shinnfessel visited friends in Stanton last week.

Elmer Derickson, special elisor for the Circuit court, was here Wednesday on official business.

Thos. R. Morgan, of Lexington, Traffic Manager for the Pearsite Co., was here Tuesday on business.

J. D. Tipton, of Stanton, dropped into the office a few days ago to renew his subscription to The Times.

C. G. Mers went to Jackson Monday for further treatment of his leg in preparation for an artificial limb.

Joe Clark returned Tuesday from a visit of several days with his sister, Mrs. Chas. Nelson, at Cincinnati.

The meat market in connection with the Day Lumber & Coal Co. store, has been discontinued for the present.

H. H. Pherigo spent Sunday at West Bend, where Mrs. Pherigo and the children are visiting for a couple of weeks.

S. V. Larrison left last Friday for Middletown, Ohio, to join Mrs. Larrison and Cordis, who are visiting relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams returned Monday from New York, where Mr. Adams has been on business for the past few weeks.

Mrs. H. G. Jordan has been confined to her apartments at the Clay City Hotel for some days with a severe attack of neuralgia.

Irvine recently voted bonds for the improvement of their city streets, and a little of this up-to-date spirit in Clay City would not come amiss.

H. H. Pherigo, our popular tonsorial artist, has found business to be so good lately that he has had to get an assistant and H. T. Curry is now operating the second chair.

Circuit Court Draws Big Crowd

Judge W. R. Shackelford, of Richmond, opened Circuit Court at Stanton Monday, and the largest crowd in years attended the opening session.

After a few introductory remarks by the Judge and the usual routine preliminaries the following grand jury was called:

C. A. Conlee, foreman, T. M. Mountz, M. M. Hall, B. H. Trimble, A. G. Willis, Isaac Lowe, L. R. Patton, Edwin Rose, John Ingram, Frank Crowe, John O'Hara and F. C. Wills.

In his instructions to the grand jury Judge Shackelford called special attention to violations of the liquor laws and also to the carrying of concealed weapons which he stated were two of the greatest causes of crime in any county. He also called brief attention to the election laws.

Judge Shackelford made a very good impression on the law abiding people of the county and his business like methods of going about the work were frequently remarked on during the day. The docket is not a particularly long one at this term and will be cleared up in about ten days.

Among the attorneys present from out of town, we noticed Dwsight L. Pendleton, V. W. Bush, W. R. Adams, J. Smith Hays, Judge Stevenson and C. F. Spencer, of Winchester; Judge Fleenor, Grannis Back, County Judge A. O. Crawford and Sheriff Matt Spencer, of Jackson.

PREACHING ON SUNDAY

Rev. Cleo Purvis will fill his regular appointment at the Christian church Sunday and all are invited to attend. His subject for the morning will be "What is Greater than the Working of Miracles?" and for the evening, "Ye Gods."

Rev. G. W. Kerstetter will speak at the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon at 2.30 on the subject, "God's Goodness and Love". Mr. Kerstetter is a fine speaker and all are invited to hear him.

New Officials

Judge Shackelford has appointed Henry Tipton to succeed J. S. Ewen as Trustee of the Jury Fund, and Luther Stephens to succeed Romulus Jackson as Master Commissioner. Both the new appointees are splendid men who will attend to their duties in a proper manner but the people of this end of the county would have been better satisfied to have had one of the appointments down here.

Boy Corn Growers

If there are any boys in Powell county who intend to enter the corn growing contest this year they should send their names to F. R. Blackburn, at Stanton, as soon as possible. The club offers a splendid chance to boys to learn the scientific side of farming and the experience gained is of great value to them and, in addition, the winners are entitled to a trip to the State Fair at the expense of the State. Get busy, boys.

Lambs Coming

Prospects are that the farmers who are raising sheep in this county will have an excellent lamb crop. The lambs are now coming and a number have reported good results. Edwin Rose has twenty nice ones from twelve ewes.

Shooting in Courthouse

Shortly after court convened at Stanton Monday some excitement was created on the lower floor when a man walked into the lavatory and, pulling a pistol from his pocket, fired several shots through the floor. There was a quick scurry on behalf of those in the room to get to safety and in the excitement the shooter hid his pistol and walked out. He was afterwards apprehended, however, and it is understood that the grand jury has returned an indictment against him.

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A HOME-MADE PAPER

THURSDAY, MAR. 23, 1916

Down in Louisville they closed all the saloons last Sunday, and in Winchester they closed all the grocery stores. Kentucky is sure going to the bow-wows.

One of our prominent physicians advised us the other day that it was unhealthy to eat beefsteak more than once a day. It's not only unhealthy—it's impossible—for a printer.

A Pennsylvania judge has ruled that if a man lends money to his wife the money then belongs to her. Must have been a single man or he would have had more sense than to think we had to be told it.

Over in Irvine they fine a bootlegger \$100 but they let Uncle Sam's representative come in there and without a license, or even a smile, sell over forty gallons of "bug juice" to a citizen, and can't even raise a holler about it. Such is life.

We noticed in the Hazard Herald the other day that, owing to the muddy condition of the streets the girls had to take off their shoes and stockings to cross the streets. Bet they won't vote any street bonds in that town till we have equal suffrage.

The Legislature adjourned last week, having completed its labors. What a pity we could not keep them in session always! Think of the interesting stories of charges, counter charges, fist fights, gun fights and threats that came to us from the correspondents every day or so! Still, we don't remember hearing much about the laws they passed, but we suppose that is a minor consideration.

Senator Littrell, of Owen county, was responsible for the passage of a bill requiring the publication in a county paper of the County Superintendent's settlements. This is a good bill, as the people of a county are entitled to know how their money expended for educational purposes is being disbursed.

Another good bill that passes both Houses was one providing that after one conviction for bootlegging, persons who subsequently offend may be tried on a felony charge and sent to the penitentiary. This bill will be welcomed in every dry section of the state and by all law abiding people.

Hon. J. U. Cantrill's speech in Congress on the motion to warn Americans off ships going to Europe, was one that his constituents could be proud of. Mr. Cantrill has always supported the Administration, and he believes that President Wilson is quite capable of looking after the German controversies without any "butting in" by Congress.

Resolutions

At a meeting of the Republicans of Lee County, held at the Court-house in Beattyville, Ky. on February 26th, 1916, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we recognize in our fellow citizen, Judge G. W. Gourley, a man eminently qualified for the office of judge of the Court of Appeals, and we believe that the Republicans of this Appellate District would do the wise thing to give him the nomination for that office. As a man, his life has been a busy one. His integrity is of the highest. His judgment is enriched by experience in the business world and in a long and successful practice of the law. He is liberal minded, and believes that every American citizen has a right to political and religious opinions and to be protected therein. As a Republican, he has always been consistent and persevering, and has seen the party in this section grow from a seemingly hopeless minority to a large and safe majority. For forty consecutive years he has appeared at the Beattyville polls and advocated and voted for Republican principles. As a lawyer he stands at the head of his profession, and this is recognized wherever he is known.

Therefore, believing that he deserves this promotion, and feeling that the Kentucky River Valley section of this Appellate District has never been honored by having one of its citizens chosen for this great office; and, knowing no man more identified with these interests, or a more able and progressive public-spirited citizen, we take this method of appealing to our fellow Republicans of the other counties composing this Appellate District to kindly consider our choice for this office, and we hopefully appeal to our fellow Republicans of this Appellate District to go to the primary election on August 5th, 1916, and cast their votes for Judge G. W. Gourley, assuring them that if he is nominated, he will be triumphantly elected, and that they will have a Judge upon the Appellate bench of whom they may and will be justly proud.

The meeting then adjourned, and the following officers were elected:

H. L. Wheeler, Chairman,
L. G. Shackelford, Secy.

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uents could be proud of. Mr. Cantrill has always supported the Administration, and he believes that President Wilson is quite capable of looking after the German controversies without any "butting in" by Congress.

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Catron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without tiring me, and am doing all my work."

If you are all run down from womanly troubles, don't give up in despair. Try Cardui, the woman's tonic. It has helped more than a million women, in its 50 years of continuous success, and should surely help you, too. Your druggist has sold Cardui for years. He knows what it will do. Ask him. He will recommend it. Begin taking Cardui today.

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TANTON,
KENTUCKY

SLADE.

Louis Faulkner is visiting his brother George, here.

Carlin Ewen of Douglass visited his mother last week.

J. P. Cole and Logan Stewart left Saturday for Portsmouth, O.

J. P. Owens and Thomas Congleton of Lexington were visitors here last.

Wayne Bowen and wife and baby, of Rosslyn, are visiting his parents here.

Alex McQuinn made a business trip to Middletown, O., for some parties, last week.

Mrs. Wynn and Mrs. Litteral are suffering from attack of la grippe. We hope to see them out soon.

Ed Ewen and George Faulkner attended the burial of Mort Faulkner at Congleton Siding, Saturday.

Mrs. Taylor Adams is improving after a severe attack of appendicitis. It was thought for several hours that she could not

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live.

Pete Chester has accepted a position in store of Matt Ford. We hope Mrs. Chester will return soon. She is a fine woman, and plenty of room and a hearty welcome for her.

Mrs. Jack Hall died at Good Samaritan and was brought here for burial in the grave-yard at H. S. McKnabb's. She is survived by a husband, three children, two brothers and three sisters.

Wm. Ashley returned Saturday from the hospital. A large crowd of friends and relatives met him at the train. His condition is pitiful—both legs amputated above the knees, and it is doubtful if he can wear artificial limbs.

Weldon & Wynn have the contract of drilling for oil on Mr. Congleton's farm. A Mr. Watson of Ohio owns the lease, individually. They have the drill almost ready for operation, and work will begin as the rest of the equipment arrives.

Goodloe Spurlock arrived home last week, having been called by the sudden death of his father. He has been in the navy for some time—was granted at least 14 days furlough, but could not get here in time for the burial. His many friends join him in deepest sympathy.

Advertising in The Times will pay you. If you don't believe it let us convince you by a trial.

NOTICE of ELECTION

Commonwealth of Kentucky
Powell County

In the matter of petition of R. C. Hall and 149 and more others:

NOTICE OF ELECTION

You will take notice that on the 7th day of February, 1916, the County Court of Powell County, Kentucky, upon petition, ordered and directed an election to be held in each and every voting precinct in said county and state, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 4 p. m., on Monday, the Tenth day of April, 1916, at the regular voting places therein, by the officers of the regular November election, at which time and places there will be submitted to the legally qualified voters of said precincts in said county, the following question, in the following substance and form, to wit:

Are you in favor of) YES ☐
issuing Forty Thou-
sand Dollars (\$40,000) in bonds, for
the purpose of)
building roads and
bridges in Powell
county Kentucky?) NO ☐

Said bonds, if issued, to bear interest at a rate not to exceed five per centum per annum, with coupons attached, payable semi-annually, bonds to be in denominations of not less than one hundred nor more than five hundred dollars each, to run not less than five nor more than thirty years, redeemable within that time at the pleasure of the Fiscal Court, and to be sold at not less than par value and accrued interest.

Witness my hand this 21st day of February 1916.

H. T. DERICKSON,
Sheriff of Powell County,
Kentucky

The Mud-Hole Made a Convert

A funny and peculiar incident is told how a man was changed to a good roads advocate in Harlan county, recently.

On the 12th of Feb. they were to vote on a \$250,000 bond issue in Harlan county. W. L. Hensley, a wealthy farmer of that county, very much opposed to the bond issue, came to town and had several thousand circulars printed, showing the fallacy of the road bond issue, that the people of Harlan were voting a tax upon themselves they never would get rid of.

While Mr. Hensley was in town he secured some whiskey and with two of his friends started out on his campaign. Not very far out of Harlan his mule, in making a desperate lurch to extract himself from a mud hole, belly-deep, threw Mr. Hensley off in the mud, and before his comrades could rescue him, he was almost drowned and chilled to death.

Mr. Hensley threw away his circulars and came to town and joined the good roads organization, and became the leading booster in Harlan county for good roads.—Three States.

For Your Child's Cough

If your child has a cold, nose runs or coughs much, get a small bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. It's a pleasant Pine-Tar Honey syrup, just what children like and just the medicine to soothe the cough and check the cold. After taking children stop fretting, sleep good and are soon entirely well. Insist on Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey 25c. at your Druggist.

Old Papers for Sale at The Times Office.

Digs For Gold

Taking his tip from an old Indian legend which has it that there is a fabulously rich gold mine in this county, but giving no more definite location, Simp Cox recently attempted to open what he conceived to be the mine on Happy Top. But after digging some distance, his opening was flooded with water, compelling him to abandon his work.—Estill Tribune.

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Court Order

POWELL COUNTY COURT, February Term, 7th day of February, 1916.

ORDER

In the matter of petition of R. C. Hall and 149 and more others. Came R. C. Hall and 149 and more others, legal voters and owners of real estate in this Powell County, Kentucky, on the 7th day of February, 1916, and lodged their petition with this court which same was on said day filed by me as Judge of said court, and same now being considered, said petition is adjudged sufficient and proper, and it is further adjudged and ordered that there be held in each and every voting precinct in said Powell county, Kentucky, between the hours of 6.00 a. m., and 4.00 p. m., on Monday, the 10th day of April, 1916, an election to take the sense of the voters upon the question as to whether or not the Fiscal court of said county shall issue bonds in the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000.00), the proceeds of which shall be used for the purpose of building, constructing and reconstructing public roads and bridges in said County; said bonds if issued, to bear interest at a rate not to exceed five percentum per annum, with coupons attached, payable semi-annually, and to be in denominations of not less than one hundred nor more than one thousand dollars each, and to run not less than five nor more than thirty years, redeemable within that time at the pleasure of the fiscal court, and not to be sold at less than par value.

And the Sheriff of said County is directed to advertise said election, and the objects thereof, at least thirty (30) days before the day of said election, in a newspaper having the largest circulation in said Powell County, and by printed hand bills posted up at not less than four public places in each and every voting precinct in said County, and at the front door of the County Court-house.

In this election all legal voters of the County may vote, and the election shall be held by the same officers who are appointed to hold the regular election.

And the question to be submitted shall be printed upon all ballots in the following substance and form, to wit:

Are you in favor of (issuing forty thousand dollars (\$40,000) in bonds for the purpose of building roads and bridges in Powell County, Kentucky? Yes ☐ No ☐

A Copy, Attest: I. S. Boone, Clerk Powell County Court.

STANTON.

(Continued from First Page)

and Filson, last Friday, of grip combined with bronchial trouble. He was taken sick rather suddenly, and his children and relatives were summoned to his bedside, and most of them were there when the end came. He was 76 years of age and leaves a widow and ten children to mourn his departure. They are Mrs. Minnie Bowen of Filson, Mrs. Reese Bowen of Lexington, Mrs. S. F. Kalar of Filson, Mrs. Willie Garrett of Stanton, and Filbert, Herbert, Leila, Alta, Orpha and Sebert, the baby, all of Filson. Armstead Faulkner, who died a few weeks ago, was a brother. Among those attending the funeral from here were Mrs. Henry Tipton, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Garrett and Mrs. Harlow Norton.

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As to Argument.

"If argument could be depended on to settle everything," said Uncle Eben, "all day'd be to a baseball game is de 'seasons wif de umpire."

Poor Henry.

"It is quite clear that Mrs. Peck is the ruling power in that household." "Yes, indeed. Poor Peck isn't even recognized as a belligerent."

G O S S I P

Heard Here and There About Town

Gee, what a change from the good old days!—the basement of a drugstore in Jackson is being used to manufacture ice cream, in.

Jack Gallagher indignantly denies the allegation that he was the sucker in the snipe hunt the other night. Jack says he only went out for some fresh air and fooled the boys into believing they fooled him.

Joe Mountz was up at Stanton Monday, and we overheard a friend asking him about the new boy. Said the friend, "Can it talk yet?" to which Joe promptly replied, "No, it can't talk, but it can cry like h***!"

The editor of the Jackson Times recently advertised that he was willing to trade a subscription to his paper for a root of sassafras. Now, what in Old Harry does an editor want with sassafras—we always heard that it gave you a splendid appetite.

Up in Lee county, the chicken thieves have been giving their victims gas to make them come off the roost without squawking. Next thing we know they'll be taking a preacher along to talk the birds to sleep so they will come easier.

Judge Shackelford opened his first court at Stanton Monday, and to make sure of having a representative gathering from this end of the county, he issued written invitations to about half the population of Clay City. Those who were unfortunate (?) enough to be overlooked were not feeling bad about it, though.

Cliff Shimpfessel started last week to raise a company of militia to go to the seat of war. We never thought Cliff was much on the fighting, and couldn't understand his attitude until we came home and read the papers of the day before which stated that a company of Americans was defending a brewery against Villa's troopers. However, we ought to add that Cliff decided not to enlist when he found that lizards are plentiful in Mexico.

By the way, we heard a good one a while ago that is too rich to keep. One of our young married men became the father of a bouncer, and the physician attending advised the mother concerning her diet for a few days. He then left the house and a few hours after was lounging in the Company store when the young man came in and calling him to one side, said earnestly, "Say, Doc, I'm mighty fond of Irish potatoes. Reckon it would hurt that young one if I had a mess of them for dinner to-morrow?"

Syl Larrison left town suddenly last week for Middletown Ohio. We smiled when we heard of his going as Syl is a good christian and goes to church regularly, and likewise he knew as well as we did that the grand jury would be in session this week. We must admit however, that we were mistaken in our surmises as he was only trying to keep out of the way of a recruiting officer who was reported to be on his way here to gather Syl and his big drum into the fold for Mexico, to lead the boys after Villa.

LOCAL NEWS

For Sale.—A mare, four years old, sound and good to work or drive. Lewis Mastin.

Arch Isaacs, of Beattyville, was here a day or so this week loading out a lot of ties.

When you want something to read call at The Times office. We have a supply of all the latest Magazines and periodicals.

Rev. J. W. Tyler, Superintendent of the mountain work of the Presbyterian church, stopped off between trains last Friday to talk over work of the Orphans Home.

Bert Hammons, who left a few weeks ago to join the United States army, is now at Columbus, Ohio, but expects to start for Texas soon, where he will be in the company doing border patrol work.

J. L. Clark, who spends the winters at the Old Masons' Home in Shelbyville, has returned here for the summer, and will spend most of the next few weeks with his brother, George Clark, on Hardwicks creek.

Mrs. L. F. Mann, of Elkatawa, is spending a few days with friends in town. Mrs. Mann says that the Judge is working hard, and that, although they like their new home fine, they often get homesick for old Clay City.

Frank Margison, who moved from here to Irvine about a year ago, has returned and will probably go into business here. Mrs. Margison did not have good health in Irvine, and this caused them to dispose of their business at that place.

One of the most interesting figures about Stanton Monday was Mr. J. L. Martin, who lives in the upper end of the county. Although 71 years of age, Mr. Martin is as spry as the average man of forty and seems to be enjoying life immensely.

Tuesday was the first day of spring and indications are that we will have real spring weather from now on. The frogs in the marshes have commenced their spring songs, and people who are fond of early vegetables are busy planting their gardens.

We noticed A. T. Whitt out with his automobile Sunday, for the first time in months. After we get the pikes the automobile owners will be able to use their cars all the year round, and this will mean that there will be several more cars in the county.

Any old friends of Major Blackburn were glad to see him about Stanton at the opening of Circuit court. The Major has been in poor health for some time and suffers severely with rheumatism, but is occasionally able to get around town a little.

Sam Carr has purchased the June Walters home in Mechanicsville, Mr. Walters and family having decided to move to Irvine where he is employed in the L. & N. shops. Mr. Carr has also purchased the seven-acre farm of Mrs. Sally Hendricks, on the edge of town.

N. V. Rose returned home from Lexington last week. Virgil is one of our most up-to-date young farmers and he has been taking a course in Agriculture at State University. If we had a hundred more like him Powell county would be one of the leaders in Agriculture.

E. B. McGlone was in town last Saturday. Mac was very reticent about what the Legislature had done, although he did his part thoroughly. It is a pity that there could not be more men there like him, and the business would be less like a farce than the recent term was.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of Hardwick & Company, of Stanton, who have the agency there for Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothes for men. The Hardwick store is always a busy place and they aim to keep everything the people want, and the best of every line.

Hugh Bush and Miss Lucy Wells were married Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Wells, of Hardwicks Creek. The ceremony was performed by Squire Welch in his usual impressive way, and a large number of friends wished the young people a long and happy life.

Dick Richardson poked his head in the Times office the other day to remark that, thanks to the advertising done by hand-bills he had printed here and by notices in the paper, his sale of stock and household goods was a success in spite of the bad weather. Everything mentioned in the advertising was sold at good prices.

Dr. and Mrs. Martin and daughter, Grace; Mr. and Mrs. G. Hackworth; Mrs. Bascom Walters and two little boys, and Mrs. Mandy Walters, spent Sunday with Mrs. Milly Skinner, at Waltersville, and enjoyed a splendid dinner. Aunt Milly, who is 72 years of age, has lived for 69 years on the same piece of property, and is one of our oldest citizens.

A meeting was held in Winchester last Thursday night for the purpose of trying to induce the L. & N. to give a better service between McRoberts and Louisville, Lexington and Winchester. Clay City was not represented, as we are not on the route that would be taken, as the additional service is slated to go via Beattyville and Frankfort.

Squire Sewell returned Tuesday from Illinois, where he has been spending a couple of weeks with relatives. The Squire says things are looking pretty good in

Mill Company Favors Pikes

The following letter has been received at this office and shows that the rumors concerning the attitude of the Brodhead-Garrett Co. toward the bond issue, and to which they were said to be opposed, were absolutely untrue and without foundation.

Winchester, Ky., March 20, 1916.

Editor Clay City Times,

Dear Sir:

It is being reported by some of the wise ones in the good county of Powell that the Brodhead-Garrett Co. is opposed to the voting of \$40,000 bonds for the purpose of constructing roads. We wish to say that this is not correct at all; that we stand for any legitimate betterment of Powell county.

For the first bridge that was ever built across Red River in the county, this company gave \$500 to aid in the construction, and also made a donation to help build the second one. So now we have bridges at every important crossing of the river in the county. This good work was done by the activity and efforts of John E. Burgher, who deserves a great deal of credit for bringing about these improvements. If the county authorities will select the right one for Superintendent of construction of these roads, they will make no mistake in voting this tax upon the people. From our observations for the past few years of the reckless manner in which the people's money is spent, we warn the citizens of Powell county to be very careful in selecting their road superintendent.

Yours Truly,

The Brodhead-Garrett Co.

By H. G. Garrett, Pres.

the corn belt, but that he prefers Old Kentucky to spend the rest of his days in. During Mr. Sewell's absence his work at the depot and pumping station was looked after by Charley Hiley.

The high wind Wednesday did quite a lot of damage around town. Many large sheets of tin roofing were seen sailing about and the smoke-stacks at the Brodhead-Garrett mill and at Cassidy's mill, were both blown down. A chimney on the Red River Hotel was also blown off and crashed into the building occupied by H. H. Pherigo, but no serious damage resulted from it.

Life's Inequalities.

Life has many inequalities. The piccolo player, who never has an idle moment, gets the same wages as the bass drummer, who loafs two-thirds of the time.

Out of the Mouths of Babes.

Little Edith had been to a picnic, and a sleeper miss was never put to bed. As her mother finished undressing her she said: "Mamma, I said my prayers at supper to save time."

The After Effect.

Also, there are a good many widows now taking in washing whose husbands didn't believe in preparedness. —Boston Transcript



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